

REMARKS

This case is a divisional application of serial number 10/171,444 now allowed. Serial number 10/171,444 was subject to a restriction requirement mailed 10-24-2002, Applicants elected X^{1to5} as carbon. This divisional is being filed to cover the heterocyclic compounds excluded by the election.

Applicants have amended claims 1, 5, 11, 15 and 18 and based on these amendments respectfully requests that claims 1-20 be allowed.

The abstract is amended due to length, Applicants respectfully request that this amendment be entered.

As the total number of claims does not exceed the number of claims originally paid for, no fee is believed due. However if an additional fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any fee deficiency to Deposit Account No. 03-2060.

Consideration and allowance of this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Scott E. Hanf', is written over a horizontal line.

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